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#### EPIPHYLLUMS

Of all the beautiful flowering plants imported from the four corners of the earth, none can excel in spectacular appeal the epiphyllums. Although native to the tropical countries such as Brazil, Mexico and the Argentine, the majority of these gorgeous types have in the past been hybridized in Europe. And now in our own Southern California numerous, superior kinds are being developed.

One could imagine nothing more congenial to Southern California climate and modern day architecture than these streamlined plants bearing a profusion of strikingly beautiful flowers from 6 to 10 inches in diameter, in all the colors of the rainbow. There are white kinds fringed in lime yellow and soft brown, pinks in monotone or iridescent tints, purples with flame and chartreuse, molten gold with vermillion, bronze with scarlet, blood-red with violet and others too numerous to mention.

Some types are effective in wall or hanging baskets, but the majority display their charms to best advantage when trained against a trellis or wall.

Our "Jewelled Corridor" during May and June presents a spectacle of dazzling beauty that you cannot soon forget.

# COOLIDGE RARE PLANT GARDENS

# "The Jewelled Corridor"

AGATHA

AMBER QUEEN ARGUS

BELGICA.

BELLA. CATHAY

CELESTE CLOISTER

DESERT SUNRISE DEUTSCHE KAISERIN DRAGON'S EYES

EDEN

FLOR DEL SOL GEN. GARIBALDI

GLORIA

**HERMOSISSIMUS** KINCHINIUNGA

KERMESINUS MAGNUS

LATONA

LILLA SOLFERINO LOTUS LANTERN

MAUVETTE MONTEZUMA

NIOBE

ORION PADRE

PEACOCKII

PINK CHARM ROSETTA SACUNTALA

SCARLET GIANT SCHEHERAZADE

SILVER DAUGHTER

SUN GODDESS

TULIP

VIVE ROUGE WANDA YOUNG NUN

Cameo pink with faint orchid cast. Amber petals margined in rich wine red.

Soft salmon with deeper tone at throat.

Trumpet-shaped white; stunning chartreuse outer petals.

A clear light rose that deepens with age.

Cerise, orchid and chartreuse. Very Chinese.

Large, many-petaled pink-lilac flower of great beauty. A lovely, large white outlined in canary and beige. Outer petals bronzy-scarlet. Center orange red and violet. Dainty flowers of silvery pink. Makes charming baskets.

Orange-scarlet overcast with violet.

Of purest white with bronze and sulphur outer petals.

A beautiful glowing orange-henna.

Brilliant scarlet blooming profusely over a long period.

Soft chamois-amber. A very large and prodigious bloomer. A very large and spectacular flower in purple and flame. Snowy white with lime yellow and brown margin petals.

Similar to Hermosissimus but with wider petals.

Violet and vermillion suffused with bronze.

An heroic and beautiful rose-beige flower with fine fragrance.

Chamois-coral shadowed with cinnabar.

Distinct in color and form; crepe-like petals, muted fuchsia.

Amber and faint pink. Violet center. Deep bronze-red with purple center.

Very large bronze and pink with purple throat.

A very dainty flower in softest pink.

Violet and cerise with lime yellow center. Huge.

A most attractive shell-pink. Basket type.

Double bells of rose-cinnabar. Attractive hanging baskets. Bronze orange overcast with plum. Violet-rose eye. Orange tinged with scarlet. White stigma anthers.

Rosy-lavender deepening to violet with age. Magnificent.

Clear silvery rose-lilac.

A glorious flower of molten-gold and violet. Vermillion throat.

TRIOMPHE de GUBBERVILLE A flat open flower of softest silvery pink. Exquisite. Bright red with small purple eye. Suggests tulip in form.

Of crepe-like texture—scarlet with purple eye. A salmon-coral climber with deeper throat.

A very large and sparkling white with yellow and brown

and many others. margin petals.

"specializing the unusual"

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#### CULTURE

For best results, plant your Epiphyllums in a semi-shady location in a mixture of 1/3 good sandy loam and 2/3 well rotted oak leafmold.

Give them a heavy dressing of steer fertilizer in February and a light top-dressing of a good commercial fertilizer in August.

Keep them moderately moist and be sure that their drainage is good.

#### PRICES

(According to size and variety)

Small pots			50c-\$1.50
Larger pots'			\$2.00-\$5.00
Specimen plants			\$6.50-\$35.00
Baskets			\$3.50-\$5.00

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